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(b) The Assistant Secretary of Defense (Force Management and Personnel) shall:

(1) Recommend to the Secretary of Defense policies and resources for the administration of the DoDDS, section 6 Schools, and CAPSE programs.

(2) Exercise direction, authority, and control over the DoDEA.

(c) The Comptroller of the Department of Defense shall provide technical advice and support to the Director for Education on budget and financial management activities to the DoDEA.

(d) The General Counsel of the Department of Defense shall provide legal advice on the implementation of this part.

(e) The Secretaries of the Military Departments shall provide such facilities, logistic, and administrative support as are required for the effective operation of the DoDDS, section 6 Schools, and CAPSE programs. Reimbursements for goods and services shall be made in accordance with DoD Instruction 4000.19² and DoD Directive 1400.16.³

§ 346.6 Relationships.

(a) In the performance of assigned duties, the Director of Education shall:

(1) Exchange information and advice and coordinate actions with DoD Components having collateral or related functions.

(2) Use established facilities and services in the Department of Defense and other Government Agencies, whenever practical, to achieve maximum efficiency and economy of operations.

(3) Consult and coordinate with other government and nongovernmental agencies on matters related to the mission of the DoDEA.

(b) All DoD Components shall coordinate with the Director of Education, as appropriate, on matters affecting the mission and operation of the DoDEA.

§ 346.7 Authorities.

The Director of Education is specifically delegated authority to:

(a) Execute the responsibilities and functions described in § 346.5.

²See footnote 1 to § 346.5(e).

³See footnote 1 to § 346.5(e).

(b) Obtain reports, information, advice, and assistance, consistent with the policies and criteria of DoD Directive 7750.5,⁴ as deemed necessary.

(c) Communicate directly with appropriate representatives of the DoD Components and other governmental and nongovernmental agencies on matters related to the DoDDS, section 6 Schools, and CAPSE programs.

§ 346.8 Administration.

(a) The Director of Education shall be a civilian selected by the ASD(FM&P).

(b) Administrative support to the DoDEA shall be provided by DoD Components.

(c) The DoDEA shall be authorized such personnel, facilities, funds, and other resources as the Secretary of Defense deems necessary.

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APPENDIX A TO PART 347—DELEGATIONS OF AUTHORITY.

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§ 347.1 Purpose.

This part:

(a) Updates the organization, responsibilities, functions, relationships, and authorities for the administration of the DoDDS, which operates schools in overseas areas.

(b) Under 10 U.S.C. 131(b), establishes, pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of Defense, the DoDDS, with the mission, organization, responsibilities, functions, relationships, and authorities as prescribed herein.

⁴See footnote 1 to § 346.5(e).

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(c) Under 20 U.S.C. 2701 et. seq. and 20 U.S.C. 1400 et. seq., establishes the Advisory Council on Dependents' Education (ACDE) and the Overseas Dependents' Schools National Advisory Panel on the Education of Disabled Dependents (NAP); establishes the Dependents Education Council (DEC); and, under DoD Instruction 1342.15,¹ establishes such other Educational Advisory Committees or Councils (EACs) as are appropriate.

(d) Continues to authorize publication of DoD 1342.6-M² in accordance with DoD 5025.1-M.³

§ 347.2 Applicability and scope.

This part applies to:

(a) The Office of the Secretary of Defense; the Military Departments; the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and the Joint Staff; the Unified and Specified Commands; the Office of the Inspector General, Department of Defense; the Defense Agencies; and the DoD Field Activities (hereafter referred to collectively as "the DoD Components"). The term "Military Services," as used herein, refers to the Army, the Navy, the Air Force, the Marine Corps, and the Coast Guard.

(b) Members appointed to serve on the ACDE, the NAP, the DEC, and other EACs established under authority of 20 U.S.C. 2701 et seq., and DoD Instruction 1342.15.

§ 347.3 Mission.

The mission of the DoDDS is to provide, pursuant to 20 U.S.C. 2701 et. seq. and DoD Directive 1342.13,⁴ a free public education of high quality from pre-kindergarten through grade twelve for eligible minor dependents of U.S. military and civilian personnel of the Department of Defense stationed overseas; and under 20 U.S.C. 1400 et. seq. and DoD Instruction 1342.12,⁵ to provide a free appropriate education for children with disabilities, ages 3 through 21; and, under 20 U.S.C. 3731(g), to pro-

vide a community college program for eligible students in Panama.

(a) The DoDDS shall also provide programs designed to meet the special needs of:

(1) The disabled.

(2) Individuals in need of compensatory education.

(3) Individuals with an interest in vocational education.

(4) Gifted and talented individuals.

(5) Individuals of limited English-speaking ability.

(6) A developmental preschool program for eligible dependents who are of preschool age.

(b) The DoDDS may also provide, to the extent funds are available:

(1) Extracurricular and co-curricular programs and activities to enrich the school environment and experience.

(2) Student travel to compete in interscholastic programs and competitions.

§ 347.4 Organization.

(a) The DoDDS is established as an organizational element of the DoD Education Activity (DoDEA), a DoD Field Activity operating under the direction, authority, and control of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Force Management and Personnel) (ASD(FM&P)). It shall consist of:

(1) A Director.

(2) The Office of Dependents' Education, which is the headquarters element of the DoDDS.

(3) A subordinate organizational structure and such subordinate activities as shall be established by the Director, DoDDS, within resources authorized by the ASD(FM&P).

(b) An ACDE shall be established, in accordance with 20 U.S.C. et. seq., and DoD Directive 5105.4,⁶ to advise the ASD(FM&P) and the Director, DoDDS, on improvements to achieve and maintain a high quality public educational program.

(c) A DEC shall be established to provide a consultative relationship between the ASD(FM&P) and the Director, DoDDS, and the Commanders of Unified Combatant Commands and major Service Commands to consider questions of educational policy, and

¹Copies may be obtained, at cost, from the National Technical Information Service, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, VA 22161.

²See footnote 1 to § 347.1(c).

³See footnote 1 to § 347.1(c).

⁴See footnote 1 to § 347.1(c).

⁵See footnote 1 to § 347.1(c).

⁶See footnote 1 to § 347.1(c).